

Chairperson's Report

I am pleased to present the Chairperson's Report for the Wellington Soldiers Memorial Club for the year ended 31/12/2025.

Over the reporting period, the Club has continued to operate in a stable and positive manner, maintaining its role as an important part of the community while upholding the values and traditions upon which it was founded. The Club remains a welcoming place for members and guests, providing a respectful environment that honours service and fosters community connection.

The Management Committee has worked diligently throughout the year to ensure the smooth operation of the Club. I thank all Committee members for their dedication, sound governance, and willingness to contribute their time and experience. Their collective efforts support the Club's ongoing success and long-term sustainability. I also acknowledge the efforts of our staff and volunteers, whose commitment is essential to the Club's day-to-day operations and continued service to members.

The Club remains in a sound financial position, allowing us to meet our obligations and plan responsibly for the future. This stability reflects prudent management and careful oversight. On behalf of the members, I thank the Treasurer for their diligence and clear financial reporting.

It is also important to take this opportunity to acknowledge the outstanding service of the Board's nominee for **Life Membership, Victor Howe**. Vic's long-standing dedication and commitment have made a significant contribution to the Wellington Soldiers Memorial Club. His service exemplifies the values of loyalty, leadership, and community on which the Club was founded, and we sincerely thank him for his continued support.

Looking ahead, the Committee remains focused on maintaining strong governance, supporting and growing our membership, and ensuring the Club continues to meet the needs of its members while honouring its commemorative purpose. With the ongoing support of our members, the Wellington Soldiers Memorial Club is well-positioned to move confidently into the future.

I thank all members for their loyalty, involvement, and continued support of the Wellington Soldiers Memorial Club.

Robyn Edwards

Chairperson

Wellington Soldiers Memorial Club

2/4/2026

